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Washington, D.C. 20231
Attention: Steven Brantley, Esquire

June 14, 2002

NOTE: THIS IS A RECONSIDERATION REQUEST "RENEWED PETITION UNDER
37 CFR 1.137(A), EXTENDING TIME PERMITTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(A)

Sir: Re: WAITING TIME

According my letter to Tom Hawkins dated Feb 13, 2001; completed drawings are in the custody of the patent office. There should be no reason for me to act or expend funds for my patent to issue.

It is my understanding that final drawings may have slipped into a crack somewhere in the PTO drafting department. It is grossly unfair to charge me with any missing documents be it accident or deliberate.

If the "lost" drawings have been found then retroactive correction is expected. If the lost drawings cannot be found then somehow the PTO should allow for the time waiting for the PTO to execute.

I desperately need the protection of the United States Patent and all the work of the Primary Examiner and myself should be totally acceptable for the issuance of my patent.

I wish to thank you and Mark Spisich for the assistance in unraveling this dilemma.

Sincerely, 

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Attachments:

My Letter of Feb 13, 2001

My letter of February 1, 2002

My letter of December 3, 2001

My letter of October 22, 2001

My letter of June 21, 2001

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Mr. Tom Hawkins/Mr. Mark Spisich
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Feb 13, 2001

Re: 09/233,805

Gentlemen:

I have sent under separate envelope, two sheets of the drawings for my patent application. If there any questions, I accept and accent to the good judgement of Mark Spisich, primary examiner.

Yours truly,

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February 1, 2002

Re: RENEWED PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.13

SIR:

Thank you for your enlightened telecom today. I have scoured the files and discovered the attached letters in the period that you mentioned, 7AUG00 to 28MAR01, as of concern. Please find one of the letters identified the mailing of "two sheets of the drawings for my patent application", dated Feb 13, 2001. I believe this to be a remailing. The receipt cards indicate two other remailings: March 16 and March 17 of 2001

As is the policy with Mark Spisich, I also respond with paper to all papers received. Therefor cannot understand the "crack" into which this process may have fallen. A remote possible explanation is the agency internal loss of my folder in the transfer between Mark and the Drafting review. (This loss of paper work has happened to me by agency processing on an application 08,736,009 which is being traced by one of your detectives there at the Patent Office. If you can assist this situation, It would be greatly appreciated.)

Another conceivable explanation is that my several moves have lost mailings. Upon query with my prior landlord, I find the dates correspond with his pacemaker operation and he could not be certain of mail delivery forwarding. My new 83-year old landlord has an aging memory so I have used a Box at the post office. My 66-year old memory is sound (to the best of my knowledge).

Though the timing of receipt of the drawing updates to the validator may be late, the validity of the payment of the issuance remains proof that the patent will increase the state of the present art when finally becoming introduced to the general public welfare. I desperately need the patent protection for return on the exhausting investment in design and producibility.

Please do all you can to make the next agency action the granting of my United States Patent. Thank you.

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December 3, 2001

Sir:

Re: my application for a patent number 09/233,805,
ISOKINETIC PAINT BRUSH HANDLES

Ref: (1) Your telecom to me
(2) Mine of October 22, 2001, Same subject

It is my understanding that the correspondence recommended by you would result in finalizing my patent and the issuing would take place immediately. I have had no receipts from the patent on this matter since the references.

Please attend to my needs for a United States Patent, as I do not wish to enter my products into the public domain without the protection customarily afforded the rest of the innovators by our system of patenting beneficial progress to productivity.

I recognize that I am a small person in this large system so I am requesting the assistance of your office to carry my application over the finish line. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

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June 21, 2001

AP# 09/233/805

Attention Tom Hawkins

At last notice, I was informed that the drawing corrections were satisfactory and my patent would issue immediately; but I have received no word yet. Please find out what has happened and why I do not have the patent protection that I need for this product.

Thank you,

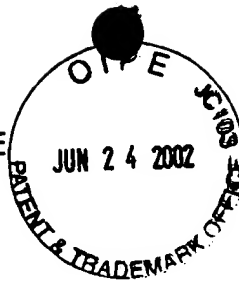
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October 22, 2001



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Sir:

Re: my application for a patent number 09/233,805,
ISOKINETIC PAINT BRUSH HANDLES

I ASSURE IT IS NOT MY INTENTION TO ABANDON MY APPLICATION IN ANY WAY. I routinely, personally gather my mail from my PO Box 164, and read each piece with concern to execute each detail for a timely response. After many searches through the yellow file folder that contains my brush correspondence with the patent office, I find it does not have the document of reference issued by the Patent Office in September of 1999.

As I have done all the necessary work to comply with the requirements, I believe there should be no reason to delay the issue of my patent. Thank you for any effort you may provide to make the issuance happen.

Sincerely,

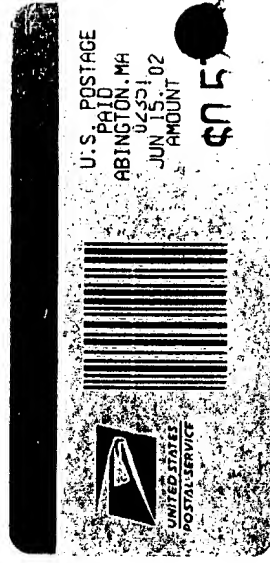
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